I hereby certify that this corresponden 2841 is being deposited in the United State Postal Services as First Class Mail in envelope addressed to: Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks Official Draftsman Drawing Review Branch Washington, D.C. 20231 COPY OF PAREN. ORIGINALLY FILE! Attorney for Applicant Date: 14 January 2002 Attorney Docket No.: DB000624-003 IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE Applicant: Mark S. Johnson, et al. Examiner: Serial No.: 09/989,477 Art Unit: Filing Date: 20 November 2001 Title: OVERMOLDING ENCAPSULATION PROCESS AND ENCAPSULATED ARTICLE MADE THEREFROM TRANSMITTAL LETTER To: Assistant Commissioner of Patents Washington, D.C. 20231

Dear Sir:

The Official Draftsman Drawing Review Branch

Attorney for Applicant respectfully requests entry of Figures 1 - 21, nine (9) sheets, of the formal drawings, submitted herewith in the above-captioned application.

Also enclosed is a return postcard. Please date stamp and mail the postcard to acknowledge receipt of the above-mentioned correspondence.

The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any underpayment or credit any overpayment to our Deposit Account No. 20-0888. A duplicate copy of this Transmittal letter is enclosed.

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